

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A mobile desk adapted to be supported by a support surface such as a floor, comprising:

5 a base including a front base member, and a rear base member, and a central axial base member extending between and interconnecting the front base member and the rear base member, wherein each of the front and rear base members defines a pair of spaced apart, outwardly facing ends located one on each side of the central base member, and wherein the front and rear base members include rollers that engage the support surface, wherein the rollers are incorporated in end-type casters, each of which comprises a tubular body member positioned over one of the outwardly facing ends of one of the base members, and a roller member carried by the tubular body member;

10 an upwardly extending seat support member defining a lower end secured to the base; an upwardly extending worksurface support member defining a lower end secured to the base; a seat secured to and supported above the base by the seat support member; and a worksurface secured to and supported above the base by the worksurface support

15 member.

2. (Original) The mobile desk of claim 1, wherein the seat is secured to the seat support member via an adjustable height seat mounting arrangement for varying the height of the seat relative to the support surface, and wherein the worksurface is secured to the worksurface support member via an adjustable height worksurface mounting arrangement for varying the height 5 of the worksurface relative to the support surface.

3. (Original) The mobile desk of claim 2, wherein the adjustable height seat mounting arrangement comprises a cylinder assembly including a cylinder and an extendible and retractable rod, and further comprising an actuator secured to an underside defined by the seat for providing selective extension and retraction of the rod to adjust the height of the seat.

4. (Original) The mobile desk of claim 3, wherein the seat is mounted to the cylinder assembly via a seat mounting member interposed between the cylinder assembly and the underside of the seat, and wherein the actuator is secured to the seat mounting member.

5 5. (Original) The mobile desk of claim 2, wherein the worksurface support comprises an upstanding tubular member, and wherein the adjustable height worksurface mounting arrangement comprises a worksurface support stem depending from the worksurface and received within the upstanding tubular member, wherein the stem includes a series of vertically spaced openings, and an engagement member adapted for engagement with the upstanding tubular member and with a selected one of the vertically spaced openings for positioning the worksurface at a selected height relative to the support surface.

6. (Currently Canceled)

7. (Currently Amended) The mobile desk of claim 6₁, wherein the front base member, the rear base member and the central axial base member lie in a common plane oriented parallel to the support surface.

8. (Currently Canceled)

9. (Currently Amended) The mobile desk of claim 8₁, wherein the casters mounted to one of the front and rear base members are movable between a locked position preventing in which rotation of the rollers is prevented due to the weight of the occupant when the seat is occupied, and a rolling position in which rotation of the rollers is enabled when the seat is 5 unoccupied.

10. (Original) The mobile desk of claim 1, further comprising a handle arrangement associated with the seat for facilitating movement of the desk from one location to another on the support surface.

11. (Original) The mobile desk of claim 10, wherein the seat includes an upwardly facing seat section and a forwardly facing back section, and wherein the handle arrangement includes an opening in an upper area of the back section, wherein the opening is configured to receive a user's fingers to enable the user to grasp the back section of the seat for moving the desk 5 on the support surface.

12. (Currently Amended) A mobile desk adapted to be supported by a support surface such as a floor, comprising:

a base including a front transverse base member, a rear transverse base member, and a central axial base member extending between and interconnecting the front and rear transverse base members, wherein the front transverse base member, the rear transverse base member and the central axial base member lie in a common plane oriented parallel to the support surface, wherein the rear transverse base member includes a central section that is interconnected with the central axial base member, and a pair of end sections that extend rearwardly and laterally relative to the central section, wherein each end section terminates in an outer end;

10 a roller arrangement on the base, wherein the roller arrangement includes one or more a pair of laterally spaced front rollers secured to the front transverse base member on opposite sides of the central axial base member, and a pair of laterally spaced rear rollers secured to the rear transverse base member on opposite sides of the central axial base member, wherein the front and rear rollers that engage the support surface;

15 an upwardly extending seat support member defining a lower end secured to the base, wherein the rear rollers are interconnected with the end sections of the rear transverse base member and are located toward the outer ends of the end sections, and are positioned so as to be located outwardly and rearwardly relative to the seat;

20 an upwardly extending worksurface support member defining a lower end secured to the base forwardly of the seat support member;

a seat secured to and supported above the base by the seat support member; and
a worksurface secured to and supported above the base by the worksurface support member.

13. (Currently Canceled)

14. (Currently Amended) The mobile desk of claim 13, further comprising a handle arrangement associated with the seat for facilitating movement of the desk from one location to another on the support surface.

15. (Original) The mobile desk of claim 14, wherein the seat includes an upwardly facing seat section and a forwardly facing back section, and wherein the handle arrangement includes an opening in an upper area of the back section, wherein the opening is configured to

receive a user's fingers to enable the user to grasp the back section of the seat for moving the desk
5 on the support surface.

16. (Original) The mobile desk of claim 13, further comprising a seat height adjustment arrangement interposed between the seat and the seat support member, and a worksurface height adjustment arrangement interposed between the worksurface and the worksurface support member.

17. (Original) The mobile desk of claim 16, wherein the seat height adjustment arrangement comprises a cylinder assembly including a cylinder and an outwardly biased extendible and retractable rod, and a seat height actuator interconnected with the seat for enabling the rod to be selectively extended and retracted to vary the height of the seat.

18. (Original) The mobile desk of claim 16, wherein the worksurface support member comprises a tubular member defining an internal passage, and wherein the worksurface is mounted to the worksurface support member via a stem depending from the worksurface and received within the internal passage of the worksurface support member, and wherein the
5 worksurface height adjustment arrangement includes a variable position engagement arrangement interposed between the stem and the worksurface support member.

19. (Currently Amended) The mobile desk of claim 12, wherein the front and rear transverse base members define member defines spaced apart ends, and wherein the roller arrangement comprises a pair of front casters mounted one to each end of the front transverse base member, and a pair of rear casters mounted one to each end of the rear transverse base member,
5 wherein each caster includes a wheel the rollers are incorporated in end-type casters, each of which comprises a tubular body member positioned over one of the outwardly facing ends of one of the base members, and a roller member carried by the tubular body member.

20. (Currently Amended) The mobile desk of claim 19, wherein the rear casters interconnected with the rear base member are positioned below the seat, and are configured to prevent rotation of wheels associated with the rear easter casters in response to the weight of a user wheels when the seat is occupied by a the user, and to allow rotation of the rear caster wheels when the seat is unoccupied.